



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Frederick A. O. Mendelshon et al.

Title: NEUROACTIVE PEPTIDE

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 11, 2003, in which a response is due by June 11, 2003, a petition for a two month extension of time and fee being submitted concurrently, applicants hereby elects:

1. For species of biological activity modulated: A) modifying learning and facilitating memory retrieval; and
2. For species directed to disease or condition: A) dementia.

This election is with traverse because the claims can be searched without undue burden.

Applicants reserve the right to file a divisional application covering the subject matter of the non-elected claims. Receipt of the initial Office Action on the merits is awaited.

Although applicant believes that no additional fees are due, the Commissioner is hereby authorize to charge any additional fees deemed necessary, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Respectfully submitted,

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